



OUR LADY OF THE ROSARY CATHOLIC PARISH TAREE

OUR LADY OF PERPETUAL HELP CATHOLIC PARISH WINGHAM

Mass centres of Cundletown, Harrington, Lansdowne & Old Bar

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6TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME –YEAR B

14TH FEBRUARY 2021

THIS WEEK'S READINGS
14TH FEBRUARY 2021

6TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

FIRST READING: Lv 13:1-2. 44-46
As long as he is unclean, he must live alone, outside the camp.

RESPONSORIAL PSALM: Ps 31:1-2. 5. 11. R. v.7 (R.) I turn to you, Lord, in time of trouble, and you fill me with the joy of salvation.

SECOND READING: 1 Cor 10:31 – 11:1 Be imitators of me, as I am of Christ.

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION: Luke 7-16
Alleluia, Alleluia!

A great prophet has appeared among us;
God has visited his people.
Alleluia.

GOSPEL: Mk 1:40-45 The leprosy left him and he was cured.

NEXT WEEK'S READINGS
21ST FEBRUARY 2021
1ST SUNDAY OF LENT

FIRST READING: Gen 9:8-15 I will recall the covenant between myself and you... the waters shall never again become a flood to destroy all flesh.

RESPONSORIAL PSALM: Ps 24:4-9. R. see v.10 (R.) Your ways, O Lord, are love and truth to those who keep your covenant.

SECOND READING: 1 Pt 3:18-22 The water of the flood is a type of the baptism which saves you now.

GOSPEL: Mk 1:9-15 He was tempted by Satan, and the angels looked after him.

REFLECTION

We know that we will all have to face some kind of suffering, and so we try to prepare ourselves for it. Yet when it comes, as prepared as we try to be, it can overtake us with such fury that we fall back defenceless. We look to others for support and assistance, and if we are fortunate, we find it. However, even in the most supportive of communities, suffering tends to alienate us from those who are healthy and secure. Suffering reminds us of our own finitude and the contingent nature of all of life. It threatens our sense of order.

Jesus is not deterred by human suffering. He welcomes all who approach him; his healing touch reincorporates those who have been ostracised; his loving embrace reassociates those who have been alienated. In the reign of God, there are no outsiders. All belong to Jesus, and, therefore, all belong to each other. When the one afflicted is embraced by the community, the community is an authentic manifestation of the inclusive reign of God.

In suffering we witness human vulnerability and our desperate need of each other and of God. There, at the edge of life and on the fringes of the community, we may experience the tenderness and compassion of God. The loving touch of Christ that can heal our souls, if not our bodies. It is there that we may most authentically participate in the cross of Christ. Joined to him we are anything but unproductive or worthless.

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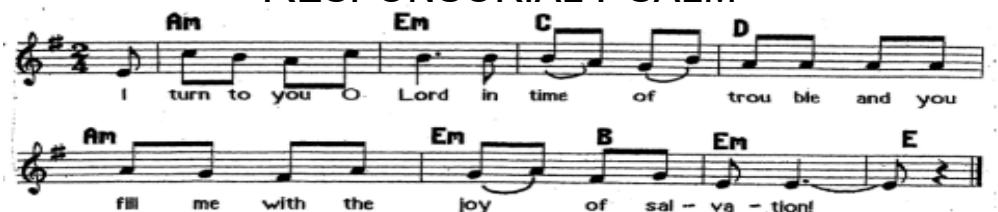
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PRAYER LIST FOR TAREE & WINGHAM PARISHES

SICK: Sandra Baker, Maureen Barrett, Sue Berry, Cathy Callinan, Josh Corbett, Bev Crouch, Terry Donnelly, Amy Douglas, Maree Dunne, Joan Edstein, John Flint, Brendan Foster, Teddy Herrera, Alexandra Hallunt Howard, Lesley Eady, Ken Fitton, Betty Howard, Camo Hyde, Halle Kiehne, Barbara Madigan, Liza Mirabello, Brenda McIntyre, Robert McGregor, John Minihan, Josephine Mockford. Neil Moroney, Josephine Murphy, Martin Murphy, Linda Norris, Nicholas Parker, John O'Keefe, Fr Paul O'Neill, Elizabeth Ray, Noreen Russell, Janora Senders, Josie Sierro, Marie Stanford, Jim Smith, Tom Salmon, Joan Saxby, Paul Schneider, Rose Sammut, Liz Taylor, Fr Hugh Thomas, Rory Turnbull, Muriel Wiseman, Paul White, Tilby Marie Williams.

ANNIVERSARIES: Alma McCarthy, Bede McCarthy, Kay Bourke, Alan Swift, Monica Roy, David Riely, Leo Mainey, Trixie Hays, Anita Nocom

RESPONSORIAL PSALM



PARISH CALENDAR 2021

MONDAY 15TH FEBRUARY

TUESDAY 16TH FEBRUARY

SHROVE TUESDAY

5.00pm Taree Mass

6.00pm Pancakes dinner SMH

WEDNESDAY 17TH FEBRUARY

ASH WEDNESDAY

9.30am Taree Mass

11.00am Wingham Mass

12.15pm St Joseph's Taree Mass

6.00pm Taree Mass

THURSDAY 18TH FEBRUARY

6.00pm Cundletown Mass

FRIDAY 19TH FEBRUARY

9.00am Taree Mass

3.00pm Adoration at Old Bar

SATURDAY 20TH FEBRUARY

6.00 pm Taree Mass

6.00 pm Harrington SCAE

SUNDAY 21ST FEBRUARY

1ST SUNDAY OF LENT

7.30 am Old Bar Mass

7.30 am Wingham SCAE

9.30am Taree Mass

COVID 19 MASS ATTENDANCE REGULATIONS:

1. Please kindly scan the QR code before entering and show the confirmation details to our volunteers at the door. People who are unable to sign in using QR codes may do it manually. Our volunteers are willing to assist.

2. The volunteers at the church door will tick your name if attending the following weeks service.

3. If you are unable to attend you will need to **rebook via** the office. **Please leave a message on the phone if the Parish Office is unattended.**

4. Please do not attend the SCAE or Mass service if you are not feeling well.

SHROVE TUESDAY will be held on Tuesday, 16th February 2021. Celebration will commence with 5.00pm Evening Mass at Our Lady of the Rosary Church Taree, followed by the Burning of Palm Crosses and Palm Fronds and conclude with a Pancake Dinner at 6pm (both savoury and sweet pancakes) in St Mary's Hall. Parishioners are requested to bring their old palms for burning to the parish office. For catering purposes please contact the parish office as soon as possible or send an email to administration@tareeparish.org or phone 65521084 .

DONATIONS OF PALMS FOR PALM SUNDAY: Donations of Palms required for Couples for Christ to make crosses for Palm Sunday- please bring to the Presbytery . We will also need large Palms to decorate the church to be brought to the Presbytery before 28th March.

THE 2021 ANNUAL CATECHIST MASS will be held at Sacred Heart Cathedral on Saturday 20th February at 2pm. Refreshments will be served in the Victor Peter Suite following the Mass. RSVPs including dietary requirements are essential for this event. RSVP by Friday 5th February to 4979 1193 or send an email to natasha.brotherton@mn.catholic.org.au. This event is a great opportunity for priests, parishioners, families and friends to celebrate the ministry of Special Religious Education, Sacraments of Initiation, RCIA and Children's Liturgy. All catechists are invited to attend.

ASH WEDNESDAY MASS TIMES

17TH FEBRUARY 2021

9.30am Our Lady of the Rosary Church
Taree

11.00am Our Lady of Perpetual Help,
Wingham

12.15pm St Joseph's School Taree

6.00pm Our Lady of the Rosary Church
Taree

IMPLEMENTATION OF THE NATIONAL CATHOLIC SAFEGUARDING STANDARDS

To comply with the Catholic Safeguarding Standards, we are currently updating the Parish Volunteer Records. To help the Parish Office with the process, we are requesting the volunteers to **please** contact the Parish Office to get a copy of the Volunteer Induction Handbook version 1.5 or download it online, fill out the forms provided in the handbook and update the Working With Children checks and IDs if needed. Please contact the parish office staff if you need our assistance.

THE WORLD DAY OF PRAYER will be held at Star of the Sea , Harrington, Our Lady of the Rosary Church Taree and Wingham Uniting Church on Friday, 5th March 2021 at 10.00am.

ST MARY'S PIETY STORE will be opened in the front foyer of Our Lady of the Rosary Church Taree on Saturdays, after 6.00pm mass and on Sundays after 9:30am mass. Your support is appreciated.

SWIFT DUREAU FAMILY GROUP will gather 12.00 noon at Knepps home on 21st February to plan a programme for this coming year. Please come with ideas and your own lunch. Please contact Eveline on Ph 6556.0430 .

RITE OF ELECTION

**RITE OF CHRISTIAN INITIATION
OF ADULTS
21ST FEBRUARY 2021**

Time: 2.30pm

**Where: Sacred Heart Cathedral
841 Hunter St, Newcastle West**

Afternoon Tea with Catechumens, their Sponsors and families follows the Rite

**RSVP for catering purposes to
E sharonmurphy@mn.catholic.org.au**

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